

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1919

THE A. B. C. OF THE  
LEAGUE OF NATIONS

(By Dr. Frank Crane)

1. What is the League of Nations?  
A. A union of the strongest civilized nations formed at the conclusion of the great war.

2. What is its object?  
A. First to promote the peace of the world by agreeing not to resort to war. Second, to deal openly with each other, not by secret treaties. Third, to improve international law. Fourth to co-operate in all matters of common concern.

3. Does it presume to end war?  
A. No more than any government can end crime. It claims to reduce the liability of war.

4. What will be done to any nation that makes war?  
A. It will be boycotted and otherwise penalized.

5. How else will the probability of war be lessened?  
A. By voluntary, mutual and proportionate disarmament; by exchanging military information, by providing for arbitration, by protecting each nation's territorial integrity and by educating public opinion to see the folly of war.

6. What else does the League propose to do for mankind?  
A. (1) Secure fair treatment for labor. (2) Suppress the white slave traffic, the sale of dangerous drugs, and the traffic in far munitions. (3) Control and prevent disease. (4) Promote the work of the Red Cross. (5) Establish International Bureaus

for other causes that concern the human race.

7. Who are the Charter Members of the League?  
A. The United States of America, Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, British Empire, Canada, Australia, South Africa, New Zealand, India, China, Cuba, Czechoslovakia, Ecuador, France, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Hedjaz, Honduras, Italy, Japan, Liberia, Nicaragua, Panama, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Rumania, Serbia, Siam, Uruguay and the following states which are invited to accede to the covenant: Argentine Republic, Chili, Columbia, Denmark, Netherlands, Norway, Paraguay, Persia, Salvador, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and Venezuela.

8. What other nations may join?  
A. Any self-governing state which will agree to the rules of the League, provided the League accepts it.

9. What agencies will the League have?  
A. (1) An Assembly, composed of representatives of all the member nations. (2) A Council of Nine. (3) A Secretary-General. (4) A Mandatory Commission to look after colonies, etc. (5) A Permanent Commission for military questions. (6) Various International Bureaus; such as the Postal Union, etc. (7) Mandatories.

10. What is a Mandatory?  
A. Some one nation designated by the League to attend to the welfare of "backward peoples residing in colonies of the Central Empires, or in territory taken from them." This is to be a "sacred trust," and in selecting a mandatory the wishes of the people of the area in question shall be the principal consideration.

11. Does the League mean a Supremacy?  
A. No. It interferes in no way with any nation's sovereignty, except to limit its powers to attack on other nations.

12. Can any nation withdraw when it wishes?  
A. Yes. The League is Advisory and co-operative, not coercive.

13. Does the League put peace above justice and national honor?  
A. No. It puts Reason before Violence.

14. Does not the League take away the constitutional right of Congress to declare war?  
A. No. The League can advise war Congress alone can declare war.

15. Does it destroy the Monroe Doctrine?  
A. Exactly the contrary. For the first time in history the other nations recognize the Monroe Doctrine and extend it to all the world.

16. Does it not interfere with the treaty making powers of the U. S.?  
A. No. It is not a treaty. We can make any treaty we please.

17. Would we have had the great war if we had had this League?  
A. No. That war cost the world over 7,000,000 lives and 200,000,000 dollars.

18. Of what importance is the League?  
A. It is the greatest deed of mankind in the history of the world.

19. Has not anyone a right to object to the League?  
A. Yes. This is a free country. Anyone has a right to any opinion he chooses.

20. WHY IS THE LEAGUE SO BITTERLY OPPOSED BY A FEW?  
—BECAUSE, UNFORTUNATELY ANY TREATY OR LEAGUE MUST BE MADE BY THE PRESIDENT, AND A PRESIDENT IS CHOSEN BY A POLITICAL PARTY AND MANY MEMBERS OF THE OPPOSITE PARTY THINK THEY MUST DESTROY WHATEVER HE DOES.

Oscar Edwards Dead

The remains of Oscar Edwards was brought to Buena Vista Tuesday and carried out to Oak Grove for burial. Mr. Edwards was a telegraph operator near Memphis. He died of tuberculosis after a long illness. He was 24 years old, and a fine young man. The burial occurred after appropriate funeral and burial services.

For Sale

150 Acres—2½ miles south of Hollow Rock, on Rowland's Mill road, known as the Duncan tract; 75 acres cultivated; 75 acres timber; bounded on north and east by Nesbitt; on south and west by Ownby; dwelling house, barn and orchard. Good bargain. Good terms. Call on T. N. Nesbitt, Hollow Rock or Buena Vista. 38 2

We have this advice for the young men of Huntingdon—unless you have money to burn, don't try to keep the pot boiling in a poker game.

The Huntingdon man who would rather lose a friend than a dollar may eventually lose both.

WILSON TAKEN ILL

GIVES UP SPEAKING

All Campaign Engagements  
Cancelled and He Returns  
to Washington

President Wilson last week cancelled the remainder of his tour under orders from Admiral Grayson, the President's physician, and returned to Washington direct from Wichita, Kansas. Admiral Grayson gave illness and physical exhaustion as the reason for his action.

Although it was said there was nothing critical about the President's condition, Dr. Grayson, his physician declared a nervous reaction affecting his digestive organs made suspension of his trip imperative.

The President was reluctant to give up his speech making program, but his physician would not yield to his wishes and the President's train hastened to Washington.

For seven years President Wilson has been in a very great strain and since the war began this strain has been intense and his physician had demanded that he take a long needed rest.

CITIZEN OR PARASITE

In every community there are two classes of individuals, those who do and those who don't. The Don'ts are those who look at the community in which they live as a business concern—nothing more. This class pay their honest debts, live and thrive in the community; receive the protection and pleasure of the churches, schools and of other daily and necessary conveniences, but are content to let others, often the small few, run the affairs of the city, without so much as a thought of their own debt of duty to the community; of the fact that they owe the community a certain amount of time and interest. The Don'ts are parasites, fat and satisfied to flourish on the energies of another.

Citizens are those who look upon the community as a group of individuals like themselves, each doing his part toward making his city a more pleasant and proper place for him and his family. Citizens are those who do—do take an active interest in the welfare of the community; do lend their influence and energy to community activities; do something else besides "talk" instead of eternally questioning, "Why don't they do this or that?" go out and help do the thing that is obvious to be done; become a part of their community, not a parasite.

Your community needs you as an active working part of it. It is your city, as much as it is the city of anyone else. You want no one else running your business for you. You feel thoroughly capable of running your own family affairs, and would brook no outside interference. Are you satisfied with the way the affairs of YOUR city are being run? Are you a citizen or a parasite?—The Paris Parisian.

MISS RIDINGS DEAD

Miss Virgie Ridings, daughter of Monroe N. Ridings, died at their home near McKenzie last Sunday night after a lingering illness following an attack of flu in February. She was 26 years old, a Christian girl and is survived by her father, step-mother and several half brothers and sisters. The burial occurred Monday afternoon at Mt. Olivet cemetery in McKenzie after appropriate funeral services. The family until a few years ago lived near Huntingdon. They have many friends who sympathize with them in their bereavement.

TIMBER WANTED—I am in the market for White Oak, White Ash and Hickory. Call for prices and dimensions.—J. H. Shannon, telephone 122. 37-3t

Weakley Wins

First prize for the best exhibit of agricultural products in county booths at the Tri-State fair was awarded Wednesday of last week to Weakley county, Tennessee. The arrangement and variety of products in this booth was graded 99 per cent perfect.

FOR SALE—To the highest and best bidder one automobile, Saxon Roadster, in good condition, good tires and ready to roll. Here is where you buy a car at your price. Sale begins at 1:30 promptly the first Monday, October 6, 1919, in front of Jenkins & Sons Garage, Huntingdon Tenn. 38-1t

The annual Tennessee conference of the M. E. church is being held at Collinwood. The session convened yesterday and will continue until next Monday. The conference is presided over by F. M. Bristol, of Chattanooga. Eld. Thos. Orman and other representatives of that church are in attendance from this county.

Well Known Here

Mrs. J. H. Hastings received a message Saturday stating that her sister-in-law, Mrs. Albert Lindsey, died at Alamogordo, N. M., on the 19th of tuberculosis. The remains were interred at Winnsboro, Tex., Tuesday. She was Minnie Baber before her marriage. There are many friends and relatives in this and Carroll county who sympathize with the family in this bereavement.—Camden Chronicle.

The girlhood life of the deceased was spent in Huntingdon and she married here. She was the daughter of W. F. Baber and had many friend among our people.

Gibson—Wallace

News has been received here of the marriage of Miss Ruth Gibson and Mr. George Wallace, both of Decatur, Ala., which occurred in Nashville Thursday of last week. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gibson, who formerly lived in Huntingdon, and have many relatives and friends here. The young couple took their friends by surprise, Miss Ruth having left home to return to her school work at Columbia, Tenn., Mr. Wallace joined her in Nashville and they were married, afterwards notifying their friends. They are both prominent in the social circles of Decatur.

Under New Management

Since purchasing the Grocery Stock of John F. Neely we have bought a new and fresh line of Staple and Fancy Groceries, which are arriving daily. We are now better prepared than ever to supply the wants of our patrons. Your patronage solicited.

MEBANE & JOHNSON

Real Estate Bargains

Right Off the Bat! Farms, I Guess Yes!

148 acres, 3 miles from Huntingdon; 2 good sets of buildings; 70 acres in cultivation, balance in timber; close to school and church. Terms. A bargain at \$4,000

47 acres, 4 1-2 miles from Huntingdon; 4-room frame house; good barn; land level; two flowing wells; drained, and only three acres in drainage district. Terms. Price only \$2,750

An ideal farm of 80 acres; two sets of buildings; one new frame house of five rooms; fair outbuildings; 2 miles north of Rosser and 7 miles from Huntingdon; land lays ideal; 70 acres in cultivation and meadow; 5 acres of clover; 10 acres of timber; young orchard. If you want the best, here it is. Terms. Price only \$6,500

Here is that stock farm you have been looking for. 325 acres, 7 miles from Huntingdon; 150 acres of open land; 80 acres of branch bottom; 70 of this in cultivation; 3 settlements and store house; postoffice on the farm. What did you say? Easy terms. Price only \$6,500

64 acres, one-half mile from Huntingdon; near high school; dandy 3-room frame house; 45 acres in cultivation; good clover land, balance in timber; good orchard; fine neighborhood; one of the best I have for sale at \$4,500

133 acres, 7 miles from Huntingdon; 5 miles from Westport and about the same to Buena Vista; 65 acres in cultivation, balance in good timber; two-thirds of this is bottom land, and part in the drainage district; about enough timber on it to pay for it; log building, but comfortable. What is the price? For cash, only \$2,750

Now what do you say? Come in and talk it over. It won't cost you a cent unless you buy, and then only half what it is really worth.

The Men That Is  
Jenkins & Sons  
The Bargain Men  
Huntingdon, Tennessee

DO YOU WANT THE BEST

Land That Will Keep You Up Instead of You Keeping Up the Land

IF SO, ATTEND THE

BIG LAND SALE

Thursday, October 16,  
AT  
WESTPORT, TENNESSEE

Westport is now going to grow, which means good schools and churches; good roads and better farming

The 350 Acres beginning in City of Westport is to be Subdivided

Into small tracts, and will be sold in tracts and blocks. Best price accepted. The best up-to-date proposition in Carroll county. These lands belong to J. T. Hester, of Huntingdon, and will be sold: One-fourth cash or bankable note due January 1, 1920, with 6 per cent interest; balance one, two and three years with 6 per cent lien notes.

There will also be sold a few Residence Lots on main front. The terms will be extra good. Don't miss this sale

EVERY MAN, WOMNA AND CHILD INVITED

At noon a Great, Old-Time Barbecue. At 1:30 p. m. sale begins on land near depot at Westport. If you go over this property, you are sure to buy

J. T. HESTER, Owner

J. L. LANPING, Mgr.

W. R. MANLEY, Auctioneer, Union City, Tenn.